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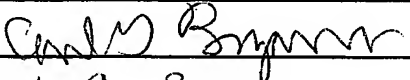
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Assignee Name and Address: HR Textron Inc., 25200 W. Rye Canyon Road, Santa Clarita, California, 91355-1265

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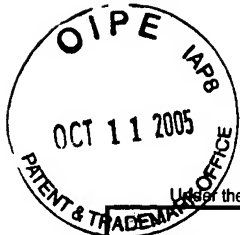
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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

Applicant/Patent Owner: Richard Slater

Application No./Patent No.: 10/622,403 Filed/Issue Date: July 18, 2003

Entitled: Damping for Electromechanical Actuators

Textron Systems Corporation, a corporation  
(Name of Assignee) (Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

David E. Huang, Esq.  
Signature

October 7, 2005

Date

David E. Huang, Esq.

Printed or Typed Name

508-366-9600

Telephone Number

Attorney for Applicant

Title

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Practitioner's Docket No. LASER03-02

**PATENT**

For: U.S. Rights and Foreign Rights  
For: U.S. Application  
By: Inventor

### ASSIGNMENT OF INVENTION

For good and valuable consideration, the sufficiency and receipt of which is hereby acknowledged,

**ASSIGNOR:**

Richard C. Slater  
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Waban, MA 02468  
Nationality: US

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hereby sells, assigns and transfers to

**ASSIGNEE:**

Textron Systems Corporation  
201 Lowell Street  
Wilmington, MA 01887

and the successors, assigns and legal representatives of the ASSIGNEE the entire right, title and interest for the United States and its territorial possessions and in all foreign countries, including all rights to claim priority, in and to any and all improvements which are disclosed in the invention entitled:

Coherent Beam Combination

and which is found in (37 C.F.R. Section 3.21) U.S. patent application executed on even date herewith and any legal equivalent thereof in a foreign country, including the right to claim priority and, in and to, all Letters Patent to be obtained for said invention by the above application or any continuation, continuation-in-part, division, renewal, or substitute thereof, and as to letters patent any reissue or re-examination thereof.

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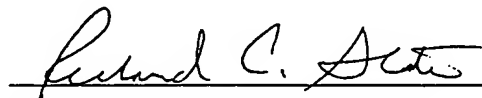
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interference, litigation or proceeding related thereto and will promptly execute and deliver to ASSIGNEE or its legal representatives any and all papers, instruments or affidavits required to apply for, obtain, maintain, issue and enforce said application, said invention and said Letters Patent and said equivalents thereof which may be necessary or desirable to carry out the purposes thereof.

And ASSIGNOR hereby authorize and request the Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks of the United States to issue all Letters Patent on said invention or resulting therefrom to TEXTRON SYSTEMS CORPORATION, its successors and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set hand and seal this 18<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2003.

Date: 7/18/2003

  
Signature of Richard C. Slater

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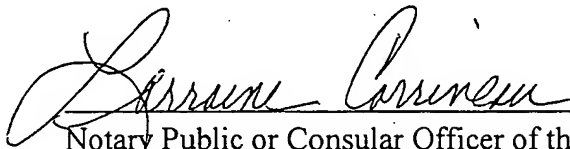
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Massachusetts  
County of Middlesex

Before me this 18<sup>th</sup> day of July 2003, personally appeared the above named individual, to me known to be the person who is described in, and who executed the foregoing assignment instrument and acknowledged to me that Richard C. Slater executed the same of his own free will for the purpose therein expressed.

  
Notary Public or Consular Officer of the  
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My Commission Expires March 12, 2004



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First Named Inventor	Richard Slater
Art Unit	2828
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